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RESPONSE

In response to the Non-final Office Action mailed on May 5, 2008, with the three-month shortened statutory period for response set to expire on August 5, 2008, please reconsider the above-identified application in view of the following remarks.

The Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 10 of this paper.